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Honorable Allen W. Dulles Director Central Intelligence Agency Administration Building 2430 E Street, N. W. Washington 25, D. C.

My dear Mr. Dulles:

The following information, supplied by sources which have furnished reliable information in the past, is being furnished as a matter of possible interest.

A representative of the Soviet Union in New York, New York, on May 8, 1961, stated that the recent pronouncement of Cuban Premier Fidel Castro that there would be no elections in Cuba should not cause any serious embarrassment to the Communist Party, USA. The Soviet explained that eventually the Cubans will hold elections after they have strengthened and consolidated their position. The Communist Party, USA, has been designated pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

In discussing the recent Cuban invasion, the Soviet representative stated it would not be surprising if the next invasion attempt consisted of the use of United States Marines and United States armaments. He added that the Cubans are now ready for such an attack.

It is requested that the contents of this communication be restricted to a need-to-know basis. This information has been disseminated to other appropriate officials of the Government.

Sincerely yours,

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